
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION
FILED WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (“RCE”)**

Sir:

This responds to the Final Office Action of September 22, 2006 (the “Final Office Action”). Prior to further examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In The Claims:

Please amend claims 1, 8, 16, 23, 25-27, 29, 30, 32-34, 36-39, 42 and 43. Please cancel claims 2, 6, 9, 12, 18, 19, 24, 28, 31, 34, 40 and 41 without prejudice, and add new claims 54-63. The amendments to the pending claims are indicated below in the associated claim listing, which is provided on separate sheets. The status of the claims is also shown therein.

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application. **Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.